

**CITY OF SOMERVILLE, MASSACHUSETTS  
SCHOOL COMMITTEE**

**BOARD OF ALDERMEN CHAMBERS  
REGULAR MEETING – June 14, 2004 - 7:00 P.M.**

**ORDER OF BUSINESS**

**I. CALL TO ORDER**

Call to order with a moment of silence and a salute to the flag of the United States of America.

**II. AWARDS AND CITATIONS**

Citations:

- > Duhamel Education Initiative Awards
- > Dr. Elaine McMichael - *Art Administrator of the Year for 2004*

Resolutions:      Retiring Principals:

- > Marilyn Hagerty, Benjamin G. Brown School
- > Francis Ferraro, Michael E. Capuano Early Childhood Center
- > William Driscoll, Arthur D. Healey School

**III. APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

Minutes to be approved for printing:

May 11, 2004

- Personnel Committee of the Whole Meeting

May 17, 2004

- Massachusetts Choice Public Hearing

May 17, 2004

- Regular Meeting

May 24, 2004

- Finance and Facilities Committee of the Whole Meeting

**IV. STUDENT ADVISORY COUNCIL**

**V. REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT**

**VI. REPORT OF SUBCOMMITTEES****A. *Finance and Facilities Committee of the Whole:*** Ms. Harris (May 24)

Subject(s) discussed:

- ✓ FY03 Billrolls
- FY04 Billrolls
- ✓ FY05 Budget

**VII. UNFINISHED BUSINESS****VIII. NEW BUSINESS****A. FY2004 SCALE/ADP Graduates** – (Recommended Action: Approval)

Ms. Susan L. Barnard, SCALE Supervisor, recommending that the following students, who have successfully completed the requirements for graduation from SCALE, be granted their diplomas:

<b>Bruna Aguiar Cruz</b>	<b>34 Highland Ave., #7R</b>	<b>Somerville</b>	<b>02143</b>
Nicholas Davenport Biscardi	60 Perkins Court	Haverhill	01832
Rogério O. Campos	7 Nielson Avenue, #3	Everett	02149
Amy Beth Gallagher	82 Brick Kiln Road, #1-101	Chelmsford	01824
Karen Marie Giovanangelo	59 Cross Street	Malden	02148

**B. Field Trip(s)** – (Recommended Action: Approval)

**June 18, 2004:** Brown School, Grades 4, 5 & 6, to Canobie Lake Park, Salem, NH.  
Transportation by school bus at a cost of –0– per student.

**June 18, 2004:** Healey School, Grades 7 & 8, to Canobie Lake Park, Salem, NH.  
Transportation by school bus at a cost of –0– per student.

**C. Student Accident Insurance** - (Recommended Action: Receive and place on file)

The Superintendent advises that the contract for Student Accident Insurance for the 2004-05 school year has been renewed with Moran Insurance Agency, 23 Spruce St., Suite B, Malden, MA 02148 at the following rates:

Plan A – STUDENT INSURANCE

Premium:	School Time	\$ 7.50
Premium:	24-Hour Coverage	\$ 49.00
Dental:	Extended	\$ 10.00

Plan B - ALL-SPORTS, SHOP AND LAB COVERAGE

Premium:	Gold Plan	\$ 5,285.00
Catastrophic Cash Benefit		\$ 860.00

**VIII. NEW BUSINESS** (cont.)**D. SHS Football Team Training Camp** – (Recommended Action: Approval)

The Superintendent recommends that the SHS Football Team be able to attend Round Hearth Camp in Stowe, VT from Monday, August 30 to Friday, September 3, 2004. (copy submitted to members).

**IX. ITEMS FROM BOARD MEMBERS****X. COMMUNICATIONS****A. Appreciation** – (Recommended Action: Receive and place on file)

Thank you note received from Mr. Joseph Hrubí, expressing appreciation to the school committee for the resolution presented to him at the school committee meeting of May 17, 2004.

**XI. PERSONNEL**

Complete report submitted to members. Recommended Actions: Receive and place on file.

**A. Resignations**

1. Rebecca Kushner, 95 Jamaica St., #1, Jamaica Plain, MA 02130 (Currently of LOA) as of June 30, 2004.
2. Paige Merritt, 26 Pearl St., Somerville, MA 02145 (Social Studies Teacher @ SHS) effective June 30, 2004.
3. Moira LaPointe, 44 Janebar Circle, Framingham, MA 01701 (Currently on LOA) as of April 4, 2004.
4. Michael Esposito, 21 Packard Ave., #2, Somerville, MA 02144 (7th and 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Math Teacher @ WSNS) effective June 30, 2004.
5. Silvia Rodrigues, 62 Elmwood St., Somerville, MA 02144 (SPED Paraprofessional) as of June 30, 2004.
6. Michael Sime, 169 Cambridge St., Allston, MA 02134 (Athletic Trainer) as of June 30, 2004.
7. Doreen Koenig, 207 Reasant St., Arlington, MA 02476 (SPED Teacher @ Kennedy School) as of June 30, 2004.
8. Victoria Beauregard, 63 Water St., Westborough, MA 01581 (Guidance Counselor @ WHCS) as of June 30, 2004.

B. **Retirements**

1. Karl Walczak, 16 Chadbourne Rd., Lexington, MA 02121 (Chemistry Teacher @ SHS) effective June 30, 2004. (36 Years)
2. Joseph Moccia, 50 Fairview Ave., Reading, MA 01867 (English Teacher @ SHS) effective June 30, 2004. (34 Years)
3. Gloria Davis, 12 Prospect Hill Ave., Somerville, MA 02143 (Paraprofessional) effective June 22, 2004. (34 Years)
4. Kenneth Lonergan, 2 Hawthorne Place, Boston, MA 02114 (In-House Suspension @ SHS) effective June 30, 2004. (34 Years)
5. Janet Martin, 520 Main St., Malden, MA 02148 (Art Teacher @ SHS) as of June 30, 2004. (35 Years)

C. **Retirements (Disability)**

1. David McAuliffe, 5 Park Place, Arlington, MA 02174 (Building Custodian) as of May 1, 2004.
2. Francis Miele, Jr., 56 Marshall St., Somerville, MA 02145 (Building Custodian) as of May 1, 2004.

D. **Family Medical Leave**

1. Danielle Heanue, 70 Emerson St., Melrose, MA 02176, (Technology, LPCS) from May 3, 2004 to June 30, 2004.

E. **Personal Leave of Absence**

1. Tammy Brincheiro, 16 Kenmar Drive, Billerica, MA 01821 (Phys. Ed. Teacher) for the 2004/05 school year.

XII. **ADJOURNMENT**